Serial No. 10/689,936 IIZ.003D2C Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.312 dated July 1, 2005

## REMARKS

Claims 27 and 28 are pending in the present application.

Claim 27 has been amended merely to correct a minor typographical error, not to substantively change claim scope.

Favorable consideration and entry of the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.312 are respectfully requested, without withdrawing the present application from issue.

In the event that there are any outstanding matters remaining in the present application, please contact Andrew J. Telesz, Jr. (Reg. No. 33,581) at (571) 283-0720 in the Washington, D.C. area, to discuss these matters.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment for any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0238.

Respectfully submitted,

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